In the Indiana Supreme Court

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| IN THE MATTER OF |) | | CLERK OF THE INDIANA SUPREME COUNT |
| |) Case No. 9 | 4800-0705MS-190X | AND TAX COURT |
| SENIOR JUDGE PER DIEM |) | | TIGITIA |

ORDER ADJUSTING COMPENSATION RATE FOR SENIOR JUDGES

During the 2007 session of the Indiana General Assembly, the legislature amended Indiana Code Section 33-23-3-5, increasing the compensation paid to senior judges effective July 1, 2007. The amended statute provides that a senior judge shall be entitled to a per diem of \$100 per day for each of the first thirty (30) days of senior judge service in a calendar year, and up to \$250 per day for each day the senior judge serves after serving the first thirty days of service in a calendar year, subject to the condition that this Court may issue an order adjusting the compensation rate for service beyond thirty (30) days.

Accordingly, we now find that this Court's payroll fund is sufficient to compensate senior judges for days served from July 1, 2007 through December 31, 2007, at the rate of \$125 for each day of service beginning on each senior judge's thirty-first (31st) day of service through the senior judge's seventy-fourth (74th) day of service, and \$150 for each day of service beginning on each senior judge's seventy-fifth (75th) day of service through the senior judge's one-hundredth (100th) day of service.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that, pursuant to IC 33-23-3-5(c), the compensation rate for senior judge service rendered after June 30, 2007, beginning with the thirty-first (31st) day of service through the seventy-fourth (74th) day of service of each senior judge, is adjusted to \$125 for each day of service, and beginning with the seventy-fifth (75th) day of service through the one-hundredth (100th) day of service of each senior judge, is adjusted to \$150 for each day of service. This order shall remain in effect until December 31, 2007.

The Clerk of this Court is directed to forward copies of this order to the Clerk of each Circuit Court Clerk in the State of Indiana for posting; to each certified senior judge in this state; to the Indiana Judicial Center; and to the Division of State Court Administration, payroll department.

DONE at Indianapolis, Indiana, this 94 day of May, 2007.

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